Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to air a clearly anti-Kerry documentary on all sixty-two of their stations only days before the election is a clear example of the dangers of media consolidation.

Sinclair uses the public airwaves free of charge, and is obligated by law to serve the public interest. This one-sided propagandizing clearly does not.

Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. "Deregulation" may sound progressive, but clearly it is only stagnating our democracy with greed. The license renewal process needs to involve more than a returned postcard. Thank you.